LOCAL MATTERS.

LEGAL NOTICE.-I will be at my office in Rocky Mount on Mondays, Teusdays, Fridays, and Saturdays of each week, for the transaction of business, as usual, Clients can see me at the SOUTHERNER of-

fice, in Tarboro, on other days. DOSSEY BATTLE. Attorney at Law.

BRIEFS .-If you want to build up the South en

courage home manufacturers. Sells Brother, circus men put their advertisement where it will do most good, Eh? Bro. Thorp.

500 Boys and Youth's Suits, of all qualities, and prices, at Whitlock's. Bro. Thorp wants bear fights in the dull dog days. What is to become of his exciting, though innocent ammusement-

Positively the largest stock of Fine and cheap Clothing in Tarboro' at prices to suit the times, at Whitlock's. Diptheria is raging fatally in our county among children.

Fine and cheap Overcoats, Talmas and Capes, for Men, Boys and Children, at low prices, at Whillock's. A large variety of Cloths and Cassimeres

Buy your heavy 4-4 Brown Sheeting your Cotton Yarns and your Plow Lines, of Battle & Son's Rocky Mount Mills. † Take the Southerner if you desire the

news current in your county. Clothing made to order and warranted to fit. Call and examine material, and prices,

A new lot of Silk and Fur Hats, Scarfs, Ties, Flannel and White Shirts, Boots, Shoes and Umbrellas, at Whitlock's.

The item of cotton rone for play lines seems a small matter. In the aggregate it is worth keeping at home. Order from Battle & Son's Rocky Mount Mills, Rocky

OYSTERS-At Spiers are nice about 19 A. W. Arrington of Rocky Mount. 4t

CAUCUS. - Abbreviation from calling of cusses together.

GREASY .- Judge Watts' 1600 lb. pig will be at the Weldon Fair THANKS-To our friend Capt. Fred

Philips for favors during our absence last SEE ADVERTISEMENT-Of T. E. Lewis,

stationer. Mr. L. has an elegant assortment of goods in his line. 15,000 envelopes

Now-Is the winter of our discontent made glorious summer by the sun of Fall

OUR STREETS-Are lined with cotton carts, and the average merchant smileth

Farmers, Carriage Makers, Carpenters and Machinists, will find it to their advantage to

RELIGIOUS,-Rev. D. B. Clayton, of South Carolina, (Universalist) will preach at the Court House, to-night at 74 o'clock.

by the train. For little Maggie's sake, we pulchritude was never seen on horse-back. drop a tear to Hal's memory.

PERSONAL .- Mr. Mooring of the Greenville Register honared us with a call on

Also Mr. W. T. Manning of the Roanoke News. He comes on a wedding tour.

Notice-'Adv' of sale of Gen. L. G.

Estes' land and personal property. Land sale in Tarboro 6th December. Personal property on the premises 4th December. BOUND OVER TO U. S. COURT,-Frank

Denton, white, was bound over by U. S. Commissioner, B J Keech, to appear before the U S Court at Newbern, on 4th Monday | quilt. in October, for retailing without license.

FIRE. -On Tuesday night a Drug Store was burned in Reidsville, N. C., that had lent, our word for it, the fault is in the courteously presented us, to the fair ones, been insured only five days in our home | jadges, not the work. company, the Pamlico. Insurance \$600.

THANKS,-We were presented a few dave ago by Mr. R. B. Alsop, with a jar of delicious pickles, put up expressly for family use by himself. If we are any brother Battle is a man of many complijudge, we can but pronounce them superior | ments. He praises the ladies, the horse to any Northern pickle. He has them for races, the preachers, the circus, and every-

Country Merchants will find it to their interest to buy Hardware at W. G. Lewis' Hardware Store. TERMS CASH.

POSTAL,-It is decided that subscribers of newspapers should remove their names from the margin of such papers before mailing to other parties, otherwise they become subject to letter postage.

Dign.—In Richmond, Virginia, Oct. 7, by Rev. Mr. Preston, Mr. Fletcher M. Conner and Miss A. Melville Donnan, daughter of W. S. Donnan.-Raleigh Sentinel.

Isn't this putting it rather heavy, Bro. PROMOTION. -- Capt. A. B. Andrews, of

the R. & G. R. R., has accepted the posi-

better selection.

Its settled. We know who is the handsomest editor in North Carolina, as he certainly is one of the brightest and wideourself and misery know.

A GLORIOUS PUFF-Is wreathing round our head from our clay meerschaum. It is odorous with the aroma of the West Indies-a genuine article of Havana Smoking Tobacco from La Valentina Cigar Factory, Charleston, S C., Mantoue & Co, proprietors. It is a present from a new friend,

Mr Goldsborough, Traveling Agent.

Bro. Thorp knows we are opposed to "puffing" and indulge in no other sort. A BLOODED HORSE,-Dr. L. L. Staton has just purchased from maj. Thos. W.

Dowell of Va the finest blooded Stallion ever brought into the county. His name is Jenifer, 2 years old and sired by the celebrated horse, Abdel

He is the neatest thing in horse skin His stable is crowded with admirers of

the noble animal. Dr. Staton paid \$1,000 Farmers, Carriage Makers, Carpenters and Machinists, will find it to their advan-

tage to buy at W. G. Lews' Hardware Store. TERMS CASH. SPECIAL TRAIN FOR WELDON FAIR -A daily special train will be run from Tarbero and Rocky Mount during Fair week, com-

mencing on Teusday 25. Fare from Rocky Mount, round trip

From Tarboro, \$1.75.

Dr. H. E. T. Manning the energetic already large, and daily increasing, and the celebrated New Hampshire Band will make the music. A glorious time may

So much fun in no other way can had for the same amount of money. Let Edgecombe and Nash send up a full delegation! Do this for the sake of old

No one will regret going.

Go to Alsop's for your Groceries. ANOTHER MURDER.-At Mr. Kenney Lewis' in this county on Thursday night last there was a corn shucking. in all qualities, for pants or suit patterns,

> Consequences: Sol. Edwards skillfully bisected Elias Newton with a bntcher

Whiskey circulated. It was fighting

They were both colored. All Dick's colored acquantances attended his funeral, except Sol Wooten, who gave well secured leg bail. Col. Jo. Martin, Solicitor, will have to move to Edgecombe. Then If he

" Dreadful is the lion's lair; Although he be no longer there."

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND .- Why? Because he sells goods within the reach of What is his name? Every body knows

IMPORTANT TO SHERIFFS .-- As yet but two Sheriffs have set led with the State Treasurer. The Sheriffs will remember, that under the existing laws they are compelled to settle by the first Monday in December, or they will not only forfeit all commissions but \$1,000 and ten per cent. upon the amount of State taxes, as per sec. 36 of chapter 184 of the laws of 1874-'75. There being no Legislature this winter Auditor will rigidly enforce the penalties.

Our State press will doubtless do a favor

of the Sheriffs by pressing this fact upon their attention.—Raleigh weeks. Persons interested will not alow sheriffs to be subjected to this penalty.

The only way to avoid it is to ask indulgence, as no officer can afford to extend it. Charity begins at home.

-Our section will be represented at the shal, and assistant Marshals, Elias Carr, buy at W. G. Lewis' Hardware Store, TERMS H. L. Staten, Jr., John W. Philips and J. P. Rives from Edgecombe, and John

and John P. Arrington, from Nash No Fair in N. C., has ever shown a cleverer or handsomer band. And we give HAL.—The property of Miss Maggie Til- | our word to visitors that this will repay a lery was the energetic, though erratic, visitation, alone. They will leave repeatblack and tan purp made sausage meat of ing, with one accord, so much personal

> While the men of Edgecombe were winning laurels abroad, the noble ladies made their influence felt in an appropriate sphere.

Floral Hall was adorned with specimens of their handiwork. Mrs Bettie Daniel sent two beautiful ti-

Miss Mollie Price, one child's skirt em-

Mrs. Mary A. Ricks, a magnificent afghan, also the motto, "God bless our home" worked on silk in German text. Mrs. J. H. Jenkins, an ingenious quilt,

Mrs. Swindell, intricate embroidery. Mrs. J. R. Thigpen, a very attractive bed

miums, that we almost bespeak them 'in the our party. We are not bibulous; so we dark.' If they are not pronounced excel- turned over the bottle of wine, which he

Mince Meat, Raisins, Currants, and Can Goods, for sale by Alsop.

BRIGHT PROSPECTS .- Judging from the thing mentioned, and everybody alluded to without regard to race, color or previous condition, &c. He also recognizes the truth and force of the old adage, "whosoever bloweth not his own horn the same

shall not be blown."-Rocky Mount Mail. This comes with beautiful grace from Bro. Thorpe, the inflationist of Experidon. the Greek imposter.

The Toisnot Transcript, said Cole's Circus was composed of cut-throats, swindlers, and gamblers. Cole didn't go to novel features, the most interesting of which Toisnot, nor advertise in the Transcript. | will be the thrilling balloon race which Brothers Circus skipped your little town simultaneously and when they reach the and didn't honor the 'Mail.' He comes to higest altitude will compete in a race. These Tarboro' and Nashville, but is compelled Each one will carry to the clouds a number

we'll divide our "dead head" with you. IMPORTANT DECISSION .- The Circuit alone would stamp the show a great one, a tion of Superintendant of the N. C. and Court of the United States, says the Rich-N. W. N. C. R. R., with headquarters at mond Eispatch, Judge Bond, presiding, decided the other day an important ques-The latter road could have made no tion. The decision is an interesting one, especially to the mercantile community. as this is the first large show that travels In the case of C. H. McMurran & Co., in through the country using their own conbankrupcy, Judge Bond, overruling Judge Hughes, decided that a judgment on a negotiable note executed by one member of awakest. We've seen Dossey Battle, of the a firm, in the name of the firm, with a Tarboro Southerner. He's here taking in waiver of homestead, binds all the memthe fair; and if he isn't married, some of the lair ought to take him in.—Raleigh Sentinel. bers by such waiver, although the others may not have expressly authorized, nor had may not have expressly authorized, nor had they can be bought in Baltimore. Philadel-How seriously he has been 'taken in,' knowledge of such waiver at the time of phia or New York, at W. G. Lewis' Hard- It was worth a visit to Raleigh to shake thing else in their line "dirt cheap." Fine the execution of the note. (1) to 11 . ware Stere. TERMS CASH,

A BRILLIANT WEDDING. -Calvary Church was ablaze with illumination on Wednes-

day evening.

Every pew was filled, and all standing

room in the aisles crowded. The beauty and elite of Tarboro had there assembled, with their manly escorts, and matrons with their little families, accompanied by the proud paterfamilias-all had come to witness the joining of that bond, which man is enjoined not to put

THE HAPPY PARTIES were Miss Maggie H. Palamountain and Mr. J. G. M. Corden, both residents of They were about to unite their destinies,

for better or for worse, and with joined hands and loving hearts pursue peacefully the path of life together. Their great favoritism in the community was denoted by the vast assemblage of

THE CELESTIAL CEREMONY commenced at 8 P. M. The organ peeled earnest of a blissful future for the young

Dr. J. B. Cheshire, the paster, arose, and all eyes were strained to catch a glimpse of the cortege. Perfect silence reigned,

and the stillness was solemnly sweet. The front door opened, and Mr Ed Pen nington and Miss Mary Harper walked slowly down the central aisle and filed to Sect'y writes us, that the entries are the right of the altar. Then came the following couples alternately taking place to the left and right: Mr Mat Shaw and Miss Telitha Cobb; Mr W D Bryan and Miss Jessie Baker : Mr P S Pender and Miss Mamie Pender : Mr C H Dozier and Miss Memie Macnair; Mr H S Spragios and Miss Grace Palamountain. These waiters were in the usual order, the first last and last first. As each two would sweep gracefully down the length of the Church, they would be watched until a succeeding couple en-

> grossed attention. THE CHOWNING ATTRACTION was easily seen to be the bride, who now came in, with her bridal veil dropping in preceeding exhibitions flowing drapery, leaning on the arm of her father, and immediately following the

groom, who led in the bride's mother. The twain were then made one in an impressively kind way by the Reverend Doctor J B Cheshire.

We attended with a lady of excellent taste, and she bears us out in the assertion, that an affair of the kind was never better

From the Church to the

RECEPTION at the residence of the bride's father, a

including Hon, George Howard, congratulated the newly married, and merriment and joyousness enchanted the hour.

We never saw a handsomer nor more appropriate collection of bridal gifts. We there can be no relief given, and hence the noticed among many things, I sett dinner law must be strictly complied with, as the castors presented by J A Cordon, 1 breakfast castors by W D Bryan, 1 china sett by J H Cordon, 1 gold watch and chain by Groom, 1 pair gold bracelets by J W Carr, eggstand by father and mother, I lamp by Grace, 1 silver syrup stand by Ed Pennington, 1 sett silver pickle knife and fork by H S Spragins, 1 silver pie knife by M Shaw, 1 sett silver forks by P S Pender, 1 MANLY BEAUTY AND EQUESTRIAN GRACE. | sett silver forks by D W Hurtt, 1 pair silver napkin rings by W T Hurtt, 1 de. Miss Weldon Fair next Tuesday (26th) by Mr. | Mamie Macnair, 1 silver butter dresser by J. S. Battle of Rocky Mount, Chief Mar- Mrs Rawls, 1 silver cup by C H Dozier, handsome book by Misses Bell and Hattie,

Sunday School scholars. If the blessing of a miserable editor, D. Battle, S. E. Westray, R. C. Tillery cursed with want of plurality, can avail aught, they have it.

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> WILSON COUNTY A-COMING.-Col. G. W. Stanton entered at State Fair a great many articles, sentimental, coraic and amusing. First was his Broad Cast Seed Sowerhis own invention and much admired for its ingenuity and efficacy. This was sen-

Next the Salaqua, or vegetable Dish Rag. Start not, incredulous reader, a genuine lish rag, grown in his garden. It is like unto a gourd, only more so. Similar to a vmbling, but not quite so much. Partaking, in equal parts, of the squash, pumpkin and a yard of dirty calico. There it behind in grace. was. The Colonel informed us if a man scrubbed his neck with it, he'd have no more cricks, nor, we surmised, any more

Twenty-five varieties of wine and brandy These articles were so worthy of pre- prepared by himself, amused the ladies of who sipped as much as a humming bird sucks from the rose, and prenounced it excellent. And we know it was good, for

Not a drinking fellow, We are quite a smeller,

and the aroma haunts us yet. Colonel S. is one of the best farmers in his county, and would show off better, but for his propinquity to Edgecombe.

Our prominent countyman, D. H. Barlow, Esq., will vie with him next year in the Dish Rag line. He will seed ten acres.

THE GREAT EUROPEAN SHOW NEW FEAerie this establishment presents some quite Now brother, don't get mad 'cause Sells takes place from the show lot free to everybody. Two mammouth balloons will ascend to pass small places. Come down and of persons. This gratuitous feature is something new in this section, and is attended with great expense to the Manager which feature in the Menagerie, is four baby lions only two months old, which will be taken from their cage and passed around among the audience, allowing ladies to handle them. The press along the route of this show speak of the entire show as first class,

> veyances, which has visited North Carolina for many years. We presume it will meet with great success .- Ex. The most complete stock of cooking and Heating stoves of every discription ever offered in this market, and at prices as low as from Ralegh District will be a fit peer for and Opera Chains, cheaper than they were

RALEIGH FAIR.

Carise Considered-Prominent Men Present-Schaters Bayard and Ransom, Congressmen Davis, Hon, K. P. Battle and Gen. W.R. Cox, &c .- Oak City Pleasure Club-Floral Hall-Beauty Raging - Judge Watts' Dwarf Pig-Crenshaw's 'Possum-Edgecombe Horses, &c.

On the 11th we left Tarboro' sweetly sought "fresh fields and pastures new" the Raleigh Fair.

At Rocky Mount we made a conjunction with our familiar, and indispensable friend, the genial Capt. S. T. Williams. He is a 'sine qua pon' and we never go without

Two of Edgecombe's lovely daughters drifted naturally and gracefully under our forth its joyous notes, seeming to give charge, and, by us, were shown the elephant in his most attractive proportions At Wilson we gained a glerious accession in the person of Miss Minnie D. as bright a jewel as East Carolina boasts. Captain Cutts of the W. & W. R. R., transported us safely and expeditionaly to Goldsboro, Here our party was regaled with a dinner at the Humphrey House. This, in excellence of quality and assortment of variety,

> can't be reproduced in the State. Mr. Freeman the Proprietor is an Edgepresence of the milk in the cocoanut,

A THIN ATTENDANCE. the kindness of B. H. Bunn, Esq., the her quilts, pronounced them incomparafaithful delegate from Nash, found a ble, named them "Scrambled Eggs" and double bed prepared in his room at the "Moon under a Basket" and tore ourself Yarborough. We were disappointed at away. finding so few people in attendance, and looked in vain during the week for the ceded, gave first choice to a quilt, compevast multitudes, that thronged the hotels, sed of pictorial representations of a redand covered the Fair Grounds, during the haired woman with purple nose, grasping

WHAT DID THE BUSINESS puffery, but it has been clear from the beginning, that the occasion was not suffi- blending of colors was superb-ly absurd. ciently advertised. The management did not fully realize and appreciate that.

Those invincible brothers the Pen and the Nothing but the prevalence of people

can make a Fair a pecuniary success. Now while in some departments the show was never better, it lacked that eletheir way. Here refresh- Maj. Englehard, of the Wil. Journal, W. ments were handed, and we had a T. Manning of the Roanoke News, Mr. chance to accase the the pretty brides- Baker of the Louisburg Courier, and ourmaids with training for the occasion-else self, besides resident press men. And nothey could not have gone through so body seemed to care whether they came or not, judging from the attention they re-

> have it perfect as possible, and feel assu- acre of taters, and still leave enough to red if some of the exertions made to exalt make heart-burn for every male and female the officers, were brought to bear on the resident of Parboro. Fair itself, more good would crop out Marshal, thoroughly comprehended the du- side tent alongside the hairy horse, for 10 ties of an officer of the society, and rendered himself unqualifiedly agreeable to the

entire Edgecombe delegation. FESTIVE FEATURE OF THE FAIR. The Oak City Pleasure Club, would be an ornament anywhere. It is composed of the most chivalric young gentlemen of Raleigh. Their heps are marvels and models of good order and enjoyment. Where all are so polite, it would be invidious to distinguish, but we can't resist thanking Messrs. Joel Whittaker, Charles E. Johnson and M. T. Leach, for their kindly courtesies to strangers. At their hon at the National Hotel on Friday night, were collected a great portion of the beauty, grace and loveliness of North Carolina. Franklin County was represented by two splendid specimens, perfect types of blonde,

with heavenly blue eyes, and brunette with a red hot poker in our eye, it is carrying the sex, and a dazzling little charmer, who numbers in her train several grecery men, cludes agricultural, labor saving, simple and guest of the same noble hostess was a lady who "did steal all hearts away." And another, whose charms would make minaries departed. "The curfew tolled the

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noted for hospitality under their roofs, and more famous for the divine way in which they float through the mazes of Terpsichore's favorite pastime. We regret

want of space to particularize. We congratulate ourself, that, while in the city, we did not place ourself under the murderous assaults on drama made by Rose and Harry Watkins. For several Fairs, without change they have occupied Tucker Hall with the same old platitudes. Why don't we have a first class company! election of officers for the State Agricul-It would, at least, pay once a year,

EDGECOMBE MEN AT SOCIETY MEETINGS.

Capts. J. S. Dancy and J. R. Thigpen, and quasi countymen, Hon. K. P. Battle and Gen. W. R. Cox, chairman State Ex. Committee take prominent parts in the M. Holt, for re-election to the presidency deliberations of the State Agricultural So- of the society. On motion, the rules were ciety meetings at the capitol every night during the week. Here were discussed in TUBES NEVER BEFORE SEEN IN THIS PLACE. a practical way the various ramifications G. Upchurch, conducted the President to tries, so vital to the prosperity of our dear | ly retur old commonwealth. On this occasion the gratifying a manifestation of their approsociety was honored by the presence of Dr. Hines nominated Major John C U. S. Senator Thomas F. Bayard of Dele- Winder, the president efficient secretary ware. The course of this gentlemen in and superintendent, as his own successor, congress has endeared him to every Southron. With a soul sympathetic for our woes, and a hand fearless and ready in our assistance, he fought for us when it was almost political death at his home. He was captured at Weldon, en route for Augusta with his companion, Mr. Pepper, by the presidents: Dr. Columbus Mills, of Cab-

> Gen. Matt. W. Ransom. Gen. R. never neglects an opportunity to glorify his State, and her interests can't suffer with such a man representing her at Washington. He is the leading orator and statesman of the South in the U.S. Congress.

4t. his hearty hand.

Just here we would be remiss-in a christian duty, did we not chronicle the fact that our eye has dwelt on the best looking man in story without a first class venches. This the State. His being an editor does not Smaller Attendance than Usual-The affect the superiority. We allude to Col. Donan of the Sentinel. Standing six feet

above mother earth, lithe and straight, with a "manly breadth of shoulder" he would be marked in any crowd. Add to this, fine forehead, clustering light hair, a gently roseate complexion, extensive wealth of full, long, blonde whisker, a clear blue eye and you have a single gentleman whose fault it certainly is that he is not married.

IN THE FAIR GROUNDS. sleeping in the quiet of innocence and We have before aliuded to the attendance. and all we can observe is, if the management is satisfied we will not complain. If they can succeed without printer's ink, we

> Floral Hall was well decorated and garnished with everything so ravishingly arrayed by lovely fingers, that we could thou not accomplish !" Bed quilts, alfghans, tidies, embroidery,

wax work, flowers-everything artistically placed, dazed the senses of the beholder. With Miss Maggie S. we were strolling through, like unto a blind canine in a commissary, surrounded on all sides by things of beauty, when we were recognized and

AUNT ABBY HOUSE

who swore she had the premium quilts 'Come this way" says she, "I'll show you what old Franklin can do. If man should combe man, which in the estimation of sleep under my quilt he'd dream he was 'our crowd' accounts satisfactorily for the in Lee's army again with a fine tooth comb pursuing Jerusalem crickets, or sitting on a rock in the shade in old Franklin Reached Raleigh at 8 P. M., and through munching a gunger." We interviewed

Our companion, to whose taste we cona solferino pipe from the mouth of a yellow whiskered man, while children scam-We are no advocate of indiscriminate pered from the door of a blue-black brick house with orange hued foundation. The

TYPE WRITER. "They were made to teach us, to exalt yet invented. It is composed of a box with sixty, quite a capital for the young econofeeder on top, and a little platform at bot- time our young saver begins to be a "shatom covered with keys, on each of which is ver" and cultivates a moustache and meda letter of the alphabet. By striking on itates the bi-partite division of his hair, this, printing can be done more rapidly than writing. Our friends advised us to that will astonish his heedless companion who idly wasted or neglected to pick up procure one, even volunteered to subscribe. such treasures. For at the age of twentycaligraphy and left the spot. Miss Anna hundred and sixty. With these he can M. Blake was the fair operator and kindly explained all the mysteries to us.

CRENSHAW'S 'POSSUM, Mr. Henry Crenshaw, who left Tarboro for Texas, reached the edge of Wake county and there rested. A few days ago he gathceived and opportunities given them for ered out of the mighty forests an o'possum, to the principle which has hitherto guided weighing 42 pounds. He was supposed to him he scorns to allow any such rietous be the Adam of all the present race. Veri- waste of such valuable property. As a State institution we should like to ly, he contained grease enough to soak an

JUDGE WATTS' 1600 POUND PIG. Capt. A. G. Moore, the clever assistant This colossal porcine was exhibited in a cents a head. If you pinched his tail it took five minutes for the sensation to be lot was required to turn his ponderous proportions round in. And he would furnish lard enough to fry all the slap-jacks for six months on Col. J. L. Bridgers' plantation. He was a baby, the Judge said, an orphan not old enough to leave his maternal aunt. It has been wondered how the Judge

We are a good natured man, but we can't stand everything. Couldn't we tell those chickens were poke-berried? Didn't we see the seed sticking about? Where were our

This thing might be done once too often. pitcher in our new hat, but when you stick joke too far.

passed in excellence, nor variety. This in was a bright star in the ball room. As a complex. And we were glad to see such a

Was fine in quality, but not so extensive as formerly. Bob Lee, entered by Capt. V. B. us pardon the first fratricide because of Sharpe won every trotting race. Flora by name. When this galaxy of loveable lu- st 1e, was only beaten once. Billy Bowle gs, knell of parting day," Granville was not Madge won a half mile race. All these, except Mary Long, are Edgecombe horses, and we take pleasure in recording the victories for our county. Capt, Sharpe, himself, The fairies of our capital have ever been drove one race, the others were driven by our townsman, Mr. C. H. Dozier.
And just here, with laurels wreathing our

equine champions, we find a good place to The most complete stock of cooking and Heating stoves of every discription, ever offered in this market and at prices as low as they can be bought in Baltimore, Philadelphia or New York, at W. G. Lewis'

Hardware Store. TERMS CASH. ELECTION OF THE STATE AGRICULTURAL Society .- The following concerning the tural Society for the ensuing year, we copy from the Sentinel

'The election of afficers being in order, We were glad to see our county men Capt. J. R. Thigpen, in a brief but lofty tribute to his ability, energy and success in entrusted to him, nominated Col, Thos. BACON-S. C. Hams, in canvass, per lb. 19@ suspended, and Col. Holt was unanimous-

> and he was re-elected by acclamation. 'Major R. C. Badger nominated P. A Wiley, who has so long and faithfully discharged the duties of treasurer of the society and his re-election was without a "On motion of Major R. C. Badger, the

meeting elected these six gentlemen vicearrus county, Dr. W. J. Hawkins, of Warren; James W. Norwood, of Orange; Warren; James W. Norwood, of Orange; J. M. Heck, of Wake; W. S. Battle, of Edgecombe; Gov. C. H. Brogden, of Wayne. All the ex-presidents are denom-Wayne. All the ex-presidents are denominated "permanent vice-presidents."

Chamberlain & Rawls are offering great inducements to purchasers of goods in their line. A splendid assortment of Clocks just Hon. Joseph J Davis, Congressman received. A full line of 18K Rings, Vest epairing a specialty.

A STARTLING SNAKE STORY .- We are too eracious a chronicler to push up s snake comes authenticated by our worthy county-man, E. Duncan Macnair, Esq., an ancient and consistent member of the P. E. Church

Gen, Bryan Grimes resides in Pitt Coanty. Musquitos in that locality are a mite ferocious and blood-thirsty. As an antidote to these musical vampires, fires are kindled in the yard at night. A little child of Gen. Grimes was playing, after supper, in the glare of the light, when a sudden scream from the child attracted the attention of the General. He rashed to the spot in time to rescue the little fellow from the fatal fang of a large rattlesnake, in the coll of attack

ready to strike. The snake glided away in the darkness and the Gen. saw serpents of all assortments, sizes and varieties, in playful multitudes, running about in all directions.

Some were going under the house, where only sigh "woman ! woman ! What cans't | the den was ; others crawling out. Such a convention of reptiles would have alarmed any but a brave and gallant soldier. But the situation required attention. A yard full of snakes is not a pleasant thing to keep in a family. So a council of war was held consisting of the General and an old negro named Ned. Red said, "I tell you, marse Bryan, if you will kill a snake or two, and burn 'em; dem oders will all git from here."
No sooner said than done, the General and old Ned readily slaughtered a few, and viled

> them on the glowing fagots. The smoke and odor commenced ascend ing, and permeating the atmosphere. Soon a head could be seen, here and there, protruding from the holes, forked tongue flashing, and eyes glittering. Then whole bodies appeared and such a hegira of snakes was never witnessed before. In a short time, "mother earth, seemed to have swallowed up her warlike birth." Gen. Grimes has not been troubled with

> > [For the Southerner.]

Our Financial Article. What a waste there is in this world Suppose a boy were to begin saving all the pins he finds, at ten years of age; and finds on an average five pins a day, (and this is putting it down very low) and suppose that he religiously avoids picking them up on Sundays-this will give him the handsome amount of thirty per week. Now look at the total for the year; fifty-This was the most ingenious machine two times thirty makes fifteen hundred and But the years roll along-by the

e he now owns sixteen the buy a second-hand tooth brush and look down upon his spendthrift associates. At mous sum of forty-six thousand eight hundred short peices of iron wire. These articles now come into use in his own family; for the "old women" and the girls have daily use for them. But if he is true

If our thrifty friend reaches the ripe age of seventy, he can now sit in his chimney corner and between the puffs of his pipe can gloat over the savings of a life-time and count with eastatic bliss his store of ninety-three thousand six hundred pins A worthy end to a worthy career! of sticks can be heaped together in the same way by any industrious person, in which the aggregate after many years, in they don't rot, will mak a respectable bunconveyed to his nerve centre. One quarter acre | dle and might srrve to warm the shrivelled hands of age on some frosty morning. Save, save, save-pinch, pinch, pinchstarve, starve, starve-and die despised the contempt of every good man and the

> Wake County, N. C. Ye, who have an eye for the beautiful in Nature and Art! Hasten to Mr. J. H. BELL'S where the glittering array of Dia-mond Rings, Plain Gold Rings, Solid Silver Ware, Watches, Jewelry, &c., will dazzle your gaze.

> All goods warranted as represented. THE BEST in the Commonwealth for the money, Mehegan's Banker Segars and Glee Club Segara. Ask your Druggist, Hotel Keeper and Grocer for the Bankers and Glee Clu Segars. Manufactured in Norfolk, Va., by mr19.-tf. W. A. MEHEGAN.

A CARD. PLAIN DRESS MAKING ND CHILDREN'S WORK for both A sexes, done by MRS. EMILY G. MEREGAN. Tarboro', Oct. 1st, 1875.

DANCEY-FLANAGAN .- In Greenville on the 20th inst., by Rev. Mr. Taylor, Mr. GEORGE A. DANCEY and Miss FLORENCE FLANAGAN, all of that place. CALBERT-RICHARDSON .- In Washngton, N. C., at the Presbyterian Church on the 20th inst., by Rev. Mr. Green, Mr. GEORGE B. CALBERT and Miss SARAH E.

MARRIED.

RICHARDSON, all of that place. WHITLEY-THIGPEN.-At the resi pence of Mrs. Kenneth Thigpen, on Wednesday evening, Mr. B. E. Whitley to Miss Bettie Thigpen, all of Edgecombe.

DIED. Near Rocky Mount on 18th Oct,. of dip heria-aged three years, daughter of J. N Taylor, Esq.

Tarboro' Market. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY R. B. ALSOP, Grocer, MAIN STREET, TARBORO' N. C.

Home production are quoted at the buying

COMMERCIAL.

Shoulders " 12@13 Sides, back bone and rib, 15@16 MEATS.-Shoulders, per lb. 11@12c Sides, clear, 13@14c Bageine,....per yard,....14@17 MEAL, per bushel 800 Molasses—Sugar House # gallon, ... 35@50
Cuba 55@75
Onions, per bushel, \$1 50@2 00
Pork—Mess per bbl. ... \$25 00@26 00
Rump, \$22 00@23 00

New York Markets. NEW YORK, October 20 .- Cotton steasy sales 945; uplands at 17 3-4; orleans 181-4 Baltimore Markets.

middlings 18-78.

BALTIMORE, October 20,-Cotton dull:

NEW ADVERTISMENTS.

FALL &

CAMPAICN. MORRIS & BROTHER.

Have received their

Fall Winter Stock

announce to their numerous friends and that they are prepared to exhibit the

GREATEST DISPLAY OF GOODS

ever offered in Tarboro, and at Suit the Times.

ENDLESS VARIETY. Goods, Boots and

Shoes, Hats and Caps, **Furnishing** Goods, Notions, Furniture,

&c., &c., Thanking our Customers for past favors, we hope to merit a continuance of their liberal patronage.

H. MORRIS & BRO.

Tarboro, Sept. 24, 1875.

AT THE HARDWARE STORE OF W. G. Lewis,

The public will find a complete Stock of HARDWARE, STOVES AND TINWARE,

Consisting in part of Axes, Grub Hoes, Shovels Spaids, &c. Hames, Collars, Saddles, Bridles &c. Rims, Spokes, Hubs, Axles, tire band Round Iron and Square Iron, &c. Every voriety of tin ware, and house, fernishing goods. A nice line of Fire Irons, Shovels and Tongs, Dog Irons, &c. Every Discription of Connter and Platform Scales. Leather for Farm use, Lace Leather and Lace strings, Every kind of Gin and Saw mill belting.

The best and finest stock of Rogers, Wostenholm's and other Cutlery, and Triple Plated Spoons and Forks, ever offered in this market.

Powder Shot and Caps, Game bags, Powder Flasks, and Shot bags, Steel Traps, Axe helves, Pick Ads helves, Tubs Spiders, Oven, Pots, Cow bells, tea Kittles, Fry Pany, Chains, Bellows, Corn Shellers, Fan Mills and Nails. The nicest line of Sportsmen's Goods, Breach Loading Shot Guns, Win-

chester Rifles, Boy's Shot Guns, Brass and Paper Shells for Breech Loaders and three qualities of Powder. Five kinds of Cooking Stoves, both for wood and coal. A full line of Whips, Traces, Carpenter's Tools, Coffee Mills, &c., &c.

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Feb. 19, 1875.

Tarboro', N. C.

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